

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Plesko et al.

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**Application No.** 10/607,591

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**For:** TYPE SYSTEM FOR REPRESENTING  
AND CHECKING CONSISTENCY OF  
HETEROGENEOUS PROGRAM  
COMPONENTS DURING THE PROCESS  
OF COMPILATION

**Examiner:** Thuy Chan Dao

**Art Unit:** 2192

**Attorney Reference No.** 3382-64706-01

**AMENDMENT**

This responds to the Office action dated September 8, 2008. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 8.